## U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-01082-DLF

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF

JUSTICE

Assigned to: Judge Dabney L. Friedrich Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 04/17/2019 Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

**Information Act** 

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

## **Plaintiff**

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## **Defendant**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
04/17/2019	1	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090–6066396) filed by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Summons U.S. Attorney, # 3 Summons U.S. Attorney General, # 4 Summons U.S. Department of Justice)(Cotca, Ramona) (Entered: 04/17/2019)
04/17/2019	2	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. (Cotca, Ramona) (Entered: 04/17/2019)
04/18/2019		Case Assigned to Judge Dabney L. Friedrich. (zef, ) (Entered: 04/18/2019)
04/18/2019	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General. (Attachments: # 1 Notice and Consent)(zef, ) (Entered: 04/18/2019)
05/21/2019	4	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 4/29/2019. (Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 5/29/2019.), RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 4/23/2019., RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE served on 4/23/2019 (Attachments: # 1 Declaration of Cristina Rotaru)(Cotca, Ramona) (Entered: 05/21/2019)

05/29/2019	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Kristina Ann Wolfe on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Wolfe, Kristina) (Entered: 05/29/2019)
05/29/2019	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1, # 2 Exhibit 2, # 3 Exhibit 3, # 4 Exhibit 4, # 5 Exhibit 5, # 6 Exhibit 6)(Wolfe, Kristina) (Entered: 05/29/2019)
05/29/2019		MINUTE ORDER requiring the parties to MEET AND CONFER and file a joint status report proposing a schedule for further proceedings. The parties shall file the joint status report on or before June 19, 2019. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on May 29, 2019. (lcdlf1) (Entered: 05/29/2019)
06/19/2019	7	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Wolfe, Kristina) (Entered: 06/19/2019)
06/19/2019		MINUTE ORDER adopting the proposal in the parties' <u>7</u> Joint Status Report. Accordingly, it is ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report on or before August 14, 2019. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on June 19, 2019. (lcdlf1) (Entered: 06/19/2019)
08/14/2019	<u>8</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Wolfe, Kristina) (Entered: 08/14/2019)
08/15/2019		MINUTE ORDER. Having considered the parties' <u>8</u> Joint Status Report, the Court directs the FBI and OIP to complete their processing and produce the non–exempt portion(s) of any responsive records on or before October 17, 2019. The parties shall file a further joint status report on or before November 7, 2019 proposing a schedule for further proceedings. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on August 15, 2019. (lcldf1) (Entered: 08/15/2019)
08/15/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Complete processing and produce the non–exempt portion(s) of any responsive records due by 10/17/2019. (zcal) (Entered: 08/16/2019)
11/07/2019	9	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Wolfe, Kristina) (Entered: 11/07/2019)
11/08/2019		MINUTE ORDER adopting the parties' proposal in their 2 Joint Status Report. It is thus ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report on or before December 5, 2019. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on November 8, 2019. (lcdlf1) (Entered: 11/08/2019)
12/05/2019	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Wolfe, Kristina) (Entered: 12/05/2019)
12/05/2019		MINUTE ORDER. Having considered the parties' <u>10</u> Joint Status Report, the Court directs the parties to file a joint status report on or before January 23, 2020, proposing a schedule for further proceedings. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on December 5, 2019. (lcldf1) (Entered: 12/05/2019)